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BUREAU OF PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY

CALENDAR YEAR 2010 CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT CERTIFICATION FORM

ROUSE'S POINT
Public Water Supply Name

PWS ID MS0300110

List PWS ID #s for all Water Systems Covered by this CCR

The Federal Safe Drinking Water Act requires each *community* public water system to develop and distribute a consumer confidence report (CCR) to its customers each year. Depending on the population served by the public water system, this CCR must be mailed to the customers, published in a newspaper of local circulation, or provided to the customers upon request.

Please.	Answer the Following Questions Regard	ling the Consumer Confidence Report							
	Customers were informed of availability of CCR by: (Attach copy of publication, water bill or other)								
	Advertisement in local paper On Water Bills								
	Date Customers were informed:								
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Jackson County, Mississippi Public Water Supply I.D. No. MS0300110

The Water We Drink - Total Environmental Solutions, Inc. (TESI) is pleased to present our Annual Water Quality Report for the year 2010. This report is designed to inform you about the quality of your water and the services we deliver to you every day.

Is My Water Safe? Yes, last year your tap water met all U.S. EPA and state drinking water standards. TESI diligently safeguards its water supplies and once again we are proud to report that our system has not violated a maximum contaminant level (MCL) or any other drinking water quality standards.

Do I need to take any special precautions? Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/Aids or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk for infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care provides. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline at (800) 426-4791.

Where does my Water come from? The Rouse's Point water source is one (1) well located on Bluewood Road which draws its water from the Citronelle Aquifer.

Source Water Assessment and its availability - A Source Water Assessment Plan (SWAP) is available from the Mississippi State Department of Health for this system. This Plan is an assessment of a delineated area around our listed source through which contaminants, if present, could migrate and reach our source water. It also includes an inventory of potential sources of contamination within the delineated area, and a determination of the water supply's susceptibility to contamination by the identified potential sources.

Why are there contaminants is my Drinking Water? Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water pose a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791). The sources of drinking water (both tap and bottled) include rivers, takes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity; microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, that may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, production, mining or farming; pesticides and herbicides, which can be naturally occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial, or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are byproducts of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff, and septic systems; and radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production, and mining activities. In order to ensure that your tap water is afe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.

How can I get involved? In order to maintain a safe and dependable water supply, we sometimes need to make improvements that will benefit all our customers. If you have a particular question about your water supply, please contact Lawrence Michels @ 800-866-3561.

Additional Information for Lead - If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The Rouse's Point Water supply is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at http://www.epa.gov/safewater.lead. The Mississippi State Department of Health Public Health

A Message from MSDH Concerning Radiological Sampling

In accordance with the Radionuclides Rule, all community public water supplies were required to sample quarterly for radionuclides beginning January 2007 – December 2007. Your water supply completed sampling by the scheduled deadline; however, during an audit of the Mississippi State Department of Health Radiological Health Laboratory, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) suspended analyses and reporting of radiological compliance samples and results until further notice.

Although this was not the result of inaction by the public water supply, MSDH was required to issue a violation. The Bureau of Public Water Supply is taking action to resolve this issue as quickly as possible. If you have any questions, please contact Melissa Parker, Deputy Director, Bureau of Public Water Supply at (601) 576-7518.

Monitoring & Reporting of Compliance Data Violations

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific constituents on a monthly basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not your drinking water meets health standards.

Beginning January 1, 2004, the Mississippi State Department of Health (MSDH) required public water systems that use chlorine as a primary disinfectant to monitor/test for chlorine residuals as required by the Stage 1 Disinfection By-Products Rule. We did complete the monitoring requirements and found no Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL) violations.

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	Residuals	Sampling Period	Range (Low/Hig	h) MCL RAA*	Units	RAA Date	RAA Your Water	T110
	Chlorine	Jan-Dec 2010	0.30 1.1	0 4.0	mg/L	2010	0.75	Typical Source Water additive used to control microhes

*RAA = Running Annual Average

Lead & Copper

90th Percenticle

Unit

The water system was tested a minimum of one (1) monthly sample in accordance with the Total Coliform Rule. During the monitoring period covered by this report, the following detections were noted:

There were NO positive bacteriological samples during the monitoring period of January 1st to December 31st, 2010

In the table below, we have shown the drinking water contaminants that were detected during the calendar year of this report. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. Unless otherwise noted, the data presented in this table is from testing done during the calendar year of this report. The EPA or the State required us to monitor for certain contaminant less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants do not change frequently.

Typical Source

	Copper	2008	0.006	mg/L		5 0		Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits	
		2000	0.3	mg/L	1g/L 1.3 0		Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives		
<u> </u>	Nitrates		Sample Date	MCL	Units	Your Water	Violation	Typical Source	
Nitrate (as N)			July 7, 2010	10	ppm	0,20	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks; sewage; erosion of natural deposits	
Nitrate Nitrite (as N)			July 7, 2010	10	ppm	0.25	No	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks; sewage; erosion of natural deposits	
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DBP Contaminants	Sample Date	MCL	Unit	Your Water	Violation	Typical Source
Trihalomethanes, Total (TTHM)	Sept. 25, 2008	80	ppb	14.84	No	By-product of drinking water disinfection
Haloacetic Acids, Total (HAA5)	Sept. 25, 2008	60	ppb	10.0	No	By-product of drinking water disinfection

Thank you for allowing us to continue to provide your family with clean, quality safe drinking water this year. In order to maintain a safe and dependable water supply, we sometimes need to make improvements that will benefit all of our customers. Please call our office if you have any questions.

We at TESI, work around the clock to provide top quality drinking water to every tap of every customer of the Rouse's Point Water System. We ask that all our customers help us to protect and conserve our water sources, which are the heart of our community, our way of life, and our children's future.

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> NA—Not applicable. were found to be positive.

per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single

Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter (ug/L) - one part

penny in \$10,000,000.

Positive samples/month-- Number of samples taken monthly that

Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/L) - one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny

is not present

Non-Detects (ND)- laboratory analysis indicates that the constituent

process inlended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements that a water Action Level (AL) - the concentration of a contaminant, that if NR—Monitoring not required, but recommended reatment Technique (TT) - a treatment technique is a required

a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of miof a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to human health. MCLG's allow for a margin of safety. Maximum residual disinfectant level (MRDL) - the highest level of waximum contaminant level goal (MCLG) - the "Goal" is the level

a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or ex-

Maximum residual disinfectant level goal (MRDLG) - The level of

crobial contaminants.

pected risk to health. MRDLG's do not reflect the benefits of the use

of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants

available treatment technology. MCL's are set as close to the MCLG's as feasible, using the best is the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water Maximum contaminant level (MCL) - the "Maximum Allowed" MCL

we've provided the following definitions: In the table below you will find many terms and abbreviations you may not be familiar with. To help you better understand these terms,